

ALLIED POWERS ON EVE OF TAKING OVER CONTROL OF GREECE'S AFFAIRS

NATIONAL UNREST IN CON-
STANTINOPLE'S KINGDOM PRESAGES
OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE.

MONASTIR NEW SERB CAPITAL

ENVOYS OF CENTRAL POWERS
HAVE ALREADY BEEN DEPART-
ED FROM ATHENS.

(International News Service.)
Geneva, Nov. 21.—A proclama-
tion has been read to the Serbian
army announcing that Monastir
is the new capital of Serbia, says
a Salonika dispatch today.

Austro-German legions sweeping
down upon the Roumanian plains with
tidal wave force have cut 80 miles into
Roumania and are now attacking
Craiova. The retreat of the Roumanian
forces defending the western end
of King Ferdinand's kingdom has be-
gun. These are the important devel-
opments in the vital Roumanian war
arena during the past 24 hours. The
hope of saving Roumania from Teu-
tonic domination grows dimmer daily.
The fall of Craiova will imperil two
Roumanian armies east of Orsova
and on the Danube, numbering ap-
proximately 100,000. Along the north-
eastern boundary of Roumania and
in Dobruja violent fighting contin-
ues at many points.

The continued Austro-German suc-
cesses in Roumania have eclipsed the
fall of Monastir.

On the Somme and Verdun fronts
there have been only artillery duels.
In the Italian and eastern theatres
of war another deadlock has developed.

(International News Service.)
London, Nov. 21.—On account of
the national unrest in Greece and
political intrigue, the allied powers
are on the point of assuming control
of the government at Athens, accord-
ing to a dispatch received here to-
day.

All the country except the revolu-
tionists and a small section of the
regular military force is being dis-
armed.

The diplomatic envoys of Germany,
Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey are be-
ing deported.

A new ultimatum is reported to
have been sent to the government.

The entente powers could easily
enforce their decrees if they took
over King Constantine's government,
as their troops patrol nearly three-
fourths of the territory, while all the
coast is under the guns of allied war-
ships.

ROUMANIAN STRONGHOLD MAY FALL SOON TO CENTRAL ARMIES

(International News Service.)
Berlin, Nov. 21.—The capture of
the Roumanian stronghold of Craiova
by Gen. Von Falkenhayn's Austrian
army is imminent. A dispatch from
Sofia today stated that the Austro-
Germans were driving upon the city
and that the defenders were falling
back in disorder.

Craiova is of great military impor-
tance. It is 120 miles west of Buch-
arest, and its capture would isolate
all of western Roumania, and compel
the retreat of large forces of Rou-
manian troops.

The Earth Quakes is Georgetown Version

(International News Service.)
Washington, Nov. 21.—Severe
earthquake shocks lasting three-
quarters of an hour, originating
2,800 miles from Washington,
were recorded early today at the
Georgetown University observa-
tory.

Beginning at 1:31 o'clock, the
disturbance lasted until 2:15, and
at times was "very pronounced."

COMPTROLLER'S CALL

(International News Service.)
Washington, Nov. 21.—Comptroller
of the Currency Williams today issued
a call for the condition of national
banks at the close of business Nov.
17.

WILSON TO STAND IN BREACH AGAIN TO PREVENT STRIKE OF RAILROAD MEN

PRESIDENT WILL ASK CONGRESS
FOR LEGISLATION TO AVERT
SECOND CRISIS.

TO HANDLE IN HIS MESSAGE

RAILROAD EXECUTIVES WILL BE
READY TO PRESENT CASE ON
THURSDAY NEXT.

(International News Service.)
Baltimore, Nov. 21.—The full
force of all the organized labor
of the nation was thrown today
squarely behind the movement
for a universal eight-hour work-
ing day. Amidst scenes of the
wildest enthusiasm, five men who
in a measure control the destinies
of millions of workers mutually
pledged themselves to give their
undivided efforts to secure an 8-
hour day for all men who toil.

These men were Samuel Gomp-
ers, president of the American
Federation of Labor, and Garret-
son, Carter, Stone and Lee of the
"Big Four" brotherhoods.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Nov. 21.—President
Wilson has re-entered the controversy
between the railroads of the country
and the Big Four railway employes'
brotherhood. He is said to be de-
termined to obtain legislation for pre-
venting strikes that would tie up the
nation's business. It was stated in
official circles today that the presi-
dent would devote the larger part of
his annual message to congress to
the subject of further legislation as
outlined by him during the railroad
strike crisis last August. It is de-
signed to prevent disputes between
labor and capital from threatening the
economic health of the nation.

The committee today was ready for
its first actual work of diagnosing the
ailments of the nation's railroads. No
session was held, however, because
the railroad executives, the first wit-
nesses to be heard, have not yet com-
pleted the outline of their views. They
will begin testifying Thursday.

Knocked Down By Cow, Injuries Cause Death

Miss Irene L. Langston, Prominent
Resident of County, Passed
Away Last Night.

Injuries sustained when she was
struck by a cow about one month ago
caused the death last night at 12
o'clock of Miss Irene L. Langston, a
well-known and prominent resident of
the county. Miss Langston died at
her country home, one mile east of
the Moulton pike, near Slip-Up
church. She had resided in that
community since directly after the
civil war.

Miss Langston, who was 70 years of
age, sustained a fractured hip as the
result of being knocked down by the
cow, and the injury failed to yield to
treatment.

The deceased was a native of
Georgia, moving to Arkansas when
she was 12 years of age. After a
brief residence there she came to Ala-
bama to live, spending the remainder
of her life on her farm.

Surviving relatives are a brother,
W. R. Langston, and a number of
nephews and nieces. Among the
nephews is George Russell, the well-
known stockman, planter and mer-
chant.

Funeral services will be conducted
tomorrow by Rev. J. I. Stockton at the
home, to be followed by interment at
Chapel Hill cemetery.

Thompson to Have First Marquee Awning

The first Marquee awning to be
used in Albany will adorn the front of
the store at Second avenue and Grant
street, to be occupied at an early date
by S. M. Thompson, the popular
druggist. The awning was construc-
ted by the Decatur Cornice & Roofing
Company.

OVERTON LAWYERS OBJECT TO JUDGE MILLER PRESIDING IN FAMOUS CASE

OBJECTION, HOWEVER, IS QUICK-
LY OVERRULED, MARTIN ARGU-
ING AGAINST IT.

FAMOUS TRIAL BEGINS TODAY

COURT ROOM IS CROWDED WITH
SPECTATORS INCLUDING THE
RELATIVES OF PRINCIPLES.

(International News Service.)
Huntsville, Ala., Nov. 21.—The case
against David D. Overton charged with
the murder of Judge W. T. Lawler,
is before Judge Miller of the circuit
court today, and as it stands at the
end of the morning session of the
court, a plea of abatement is pending.
The defendant has announced ready
to go forward with the case on as-
surance that Chas. Nalls and Percy
Brooks will be here when called.
Judge Miller has overruled all the
motions of the defense to quash the
indictment and the objections offered
by counsel for Overton to Judge Mil-
ler of the fourth circuit holding court
in the Eighth circuit, as well as the
presence of Attorney General Martin
and his assistants in the prosecution of
the case.

When court convened there was a
dense crowd and despite the excite-
ment there was the best of order.
Overton entered under the escort of
a large squad of deputies and was fol-
lowed by his wife, daughter and son.
Mrs. Lawler, wife of the slain judge,
was present with several relatives
and there were many relatives of the
defendant present.

In stating his reasons for objecting
to Judge Miller holding court in the
Eighth district, Chief Counsel Allen
for Overton said he was making an
attack upon the "monarchical form of
government that the late Alabama
legislature sought to establish in this
state by enactment of the law allow-
ing the chief justice to move judges
about over the state and thereby de-
prive people of the right of trial by
their own judges."

He said he did not believe it is the
law of the state under the constitu-
tion for the chief justice to be allow-
ed to remove judges from their cir-
cuits without cause, and the assign-
ment of other judges to their offices.
He said this is contrary to local self
government, and that the attorney
general should not come into any
county and supervise the prosecution
of any case. He said this was not
fair to the defendant and contrary to
the constitution to have the entire
legal machinery of the state directed
against him in this case. He claimed
there is no precedent for these
proceedings and the point raised
ought to be settled at once.

Attorney General Martin in reply
said he was not here by his own
choice, but in obedience to the law of
Alabama which provides that circuit
judges may hold court for each other
without the disqualification of either.
He and his assistants are here, he
said, on request of the judge of this
circuit, Judge R. C. Brickell, and the
solicitor of this county, Solicitor
Drake.

Counsel Allen replied that consider-
ing the brilliant legal talent that had
been reared in Madison county this
ought to be the last county in the
state to ask legal aid of the state.
"The law gives the attorney general
too much power," he said.

The court announced the objection
overruled.

Million More Bales Ginned This Year

GOVERNMENT REPORT SHOWS
1916 FIGURES TO EXCEED
THOSE OF 1915.

(International News Service.)
Washington, Nov. 21.—The bureau
of the census cotton report issued to-
day shows 9,615,833 bales, counting
round as half bales, ginned from the
growth of 1916 to Nov. 14, compared
with 8,771,275 for 1915. Round bales
included this year are 168,348; Sea
Island, 93,004.

PAYING AN ELECTION BET IN NEW YORK



A woman riding on an elephant down Fifth Avenue, New York, after election. A policeman is shooting her into a side street. The elephant was decorated with the legend, "I Lost." The young woman was Miss Katie Schmidt.

Alarmed at U-Boat Blockade British Papers Pan Balfour and Demand His Retirement

(International News Service.)
London, Nov. 21.—Germany's sub-
marine warfare has struck panic into
the very soul of Great Britain. The
Daily Mail has now joined the Morn-
ing Post in attacking the admiralty
and in demanding the resignation of
A. J. Balfour, first lord of the admir-
alty.
A reflection of the fright which is
permeating all circles is contained
in the following editorial in the Daily
Mail today: "It is a question of life
and death. Submarine blockade must
be broken or it will break us. This
is no time for slack or feeble admin-
istration."
Every day the toll of British ships
destroyed by Germany's U-boats
mounts higher and higher.

JACKSON HIGHWAY REPUBLICANS PLAN IS FINALLY ROUTED CONTEST IN OHIO MISSISSIPPI WAY IN BEHALF WILLIS

ANOTHER MEETING PROBABLY
GIVES HUNTSVILLE SLICE OF
THE PIE.

Louisville, Nov. 21.—Roads leading
from Nashville through Florence,
Ala., Columbus, Meridian and Hatties-
burg, Miss., were officially designated
late Monday as a part of the Jack-
son highway at a meeting here of the
board of directors of the Jackson
Highway association.

The selection was made only after
a prolonged debate and in the face
of determined opposition from advo-
cates of a route leading southward
from Nashville, either through Hunts-
ville or Decatur, to Birmingham, and
thence to New Orleans.

Following the adoption of the
route through northwestern Alabama
and Mississippi a proposal was made
by President Peter Lee Atherton of
the Jackson Highway association to
add to the Jackson highway, as a
branch, roads leading to Montgomery
by way of Huntsville and Birming-
ham.

This proposal raised a second storm
of debate which was only ended when
a motion to declare a recess for a
period not to exceed 90 days was
adopted. Under this motion the
board of directors of the highway as-
sociation will meet at Birmingham, at
the call of the president, to consider
the proposal for the addition of the
Nashville, Montgomery branch to the
highway.

Baton Rouge Banker Lost While Hunting

(International News Service.)
Mobile, Nov. 21.—The fate of Wm.
McCausland, banker of Baton Rouge,
La., who was lost while hunting in the
Tensas river marshes, continues to
be a mystery. The search contin-
ues and hunters familiar with the
territory declare that there is hope
that he may still be alive.

GERMANY DENIES ITS PLEDGE WAS BROKEN IN ROWANMORE CASE

Imperial Government Defends Submarine Course
in Sinking Several Vessels Recently

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS SATISFIED

Teutonic Reply Indicates Greatest Precaution
Was Taken Before the Rowanmore
Was Sunk

(International News Service.)
Berlin, Nov. 21.—The German gov-
ernment has handed a note to the
United States embassy flatly denying
that it has violated its submarine
pledge to the United States.

The note was a reply to an Amer-
ican communication relative to the
sinking of the Rowanmore and three
other steamers which were lost in
September.

The German government admits
that the Rowanmore was sunk by a
submarine, but denies that life boats
containing survivors were fired upon.
The reply declares that it was due
to precautions taken by the Germans
that the men on the Rowanmore owed
their lives.

Admission was made also that one
of the three remaining steamers, the
Antwerpen, was sunk by a submarine.
It is denied that any of the prin-
ciples of international law were violat-
ed, however.

In respect to the other two steam-
ers the German government says they
were not sunk by a submarine.

U. S. IS READY TO

ACCEPT NOTE AS FINAL.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The state de-
partment officials today were ready
to accept as final the denial that sub-
marine pledges to the United States
were violated in the recent sinking of
merchant vessels, as made in the note
handed to Secretary Grew at Berlin
for transmission to Washington.

Receipt of the official copy of the
note is expected to close the matter
of the sinking of the steamers men-
tioned.

State department officials said no
inquiry was made concerning vessels
sunk during September, the month
mentioned in the Berlin dispatch, and
believed one of the two vessels which
Germany says was not sunk by her
submarines was the Marina, sunk
Oct. 28, with the loss of five Ameri-
cans.

Officials were unable to determine
which are the two vessels that Ger-
many denies were sunk by subma-
rines. Secretary Lansing has known
for days that a note was forthcoming
with a flat denial of violation of sub-
marine pledges, it was learned in of-
ficial circles. Information to that ef-
fect was given him by Ambassador
Bernstorff in an informal way.

Receipt of the present note is ex-
pected to be closely followed by for-
mal closing of the Lusitania case.

REPUBLICANS ADMIT CALIFORNIA'S DEM. MAJORITY IS 3,416

—ALL BUT HUGHES!

RETURNS FROM ALL BUT EIGHT
COUNTIES ARE CHECKED BY
REPUBLICAN BOARD

(International News Service.)
San Francisco, Nov. 21.—California's
vote complete will give President
Wilson a plurality of about 3,416, ac-
cording to a check made by the re-
publican state central committee on
the official returns from all but eight
counties.

The figures from the eight missing
counties were estimated from the
semi-official returns. Thirteen coun-
ties have not yet returned their vote
to Sacramento, but in five of these,
including Los Angeles, San Francisco,
Alameda and San Diego, the official
tabulation is virtually completed and
only awaits certification before being
forwarded to the secretary of state.

MEXICO IS FLATLY TOLD THAT U. S. TO GUARD BORDER WITH OR WITHOUT

LANE MAKES IT PLAIN THAT
MEXICO'S CONSENT IS NOT
NECESSARY.

WORD WITH THE BARK ON IT

UNITED STATES TROOPS WILL
PURSUE MARAUDERS AS THEY
SEE FIT.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Nov. 21.—The United
States must have a free hand in pro-
tecting the border from Mexican mar-
auders. If American soldiers pur-
suing Mexican raiders do not overtake
them on American soil they will con-
tinue the chase across the boundary.
Neither will there be any restrictions
as to the number of troops to be en-
gaged or the time of their stay in
Mexico, nor the course they pursue
there.

These were the points emphasized
today at the Atlantic City conference
by Secretary Lane, chairman of the
American delegates.

This was the course determined
upon by the United States. It will be
adhered to irrespective of whether it
meets with the approval of the Mex-
ican commissioners or not.

Misses Haddon to Open New Millinery Store

Will Occupy New Building on Grant
Street at Early Date.

The Misses Haddon, milliners, from
Evergreen, Ala., will open a millinery
store on Grant street in the Hoff
building, a new structure just to the
rear of the building formerly occupied
by T. H. Matlocks, jeweler. The stock
and fixtures will be new throughout,
and the formal opening will be held
soon, probably, Saturday, according to
announcement today.

The new store will be under the
direction of expert milliners, who
state that they will carry a large
stock of fashionable headware.

DEUTSCHLAND IS OFF AGAIN FOR GERMANY

HUNDREDS CHEER BIG MER-
CHANT-SUBMARINE AS SHE
LEAVES AGAIN.

(International News Service.)

New London, Nov. 21.—The Deut-
schland is off again for Germany.
Amid the applause of hundreds of
watchers on shore the German mer-
chant submarine submerged at her
pier at 2:17 o'clock this afternoon
and three minutes later she reappear-
ed in the center of the channel and
under the convoy of two tugs of the
T. A. Scott Company which had come
up the river a few minutes before,
started again to her home port of
Bremen. The tugs are the Alert and
S. H. Beckwith.

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"THE GOOD OLD TIMES" ARE HERE, NOT PAST.

It was Horace who remarked in one of his charming bits of Latin verse that people are always prone to look back on "the good old times" in the dim past after the mellowing years had colored the days of yesterday with the rosy hues of age. We of this day are also inclined to view the past years as the best and leave little for the rising generation to hope for in the seemingly cheerless days to come.

The truth of the matter is that these are "the good old days." These are the piping days of achievement. These are the stirring, history-making days. These are the days which we can look back on and tell our children's children that we remember when the allied powers and the central nations locked in the death grip at the battle of the Marne, on the Somme and on the other blood-stained battlefields of Europe, in the greatest war.

These are the days also of industrial achievement. Every newspaper we pick up records some feat that will be worth a chapter in the future histories of the earth. Only yesterday a woman aviator flew from Chicago to New York—the most stupendous feat ever achieved by a man or a woman on the western hemisphere. Yesterday, too, a combination airship and yacht began to cruise between Florida and New York. A few days before that the Deutschland, the first merchant submarine that ever sailed the seven seas, hove into port after a record-breaking trip from Germany. Shortly after that the first ship to come from Iceland since the day of Lieke the Lucky or Eric the Red came into port in New York with a cargo of furs—the first ship in 1,000 years to come to North America from isolated Iceland.

If one desires to see history in the raw, history in the process of making in the laboratory of the world, he has only to read the daily papers in the good year of our Lord, 1916. Never before has there been so much good and so much bad so intensified and so heightened and thrown up on the screen of history for the world to read. Never before has there been so much prosperity on one side of the hemisphere and so much horror and woe on the other. On one side the gold of commerce is flowing as never before into the marts of trade, while on the other the blood of humanity is being spilled as never before. The right to exist, the ancient and brutal doctrine of the survival of the fittest, is being tested as never before among the nations of the earth.

Stirring days! All the tears and the joys, the sobs and the laughter, the gold and the poverty, of all the world in the 2,000 other years the world has seen since the beginning of the Christian era, all heaped together, would not equal the experiences the world is now passing through in the short space of one year. These are the "good old days" or the bad old days, whichever you choose, but these are the days when great deeds and big achievements are happening every second and each minute sweats its sixty seconds to the death.

PARAPHRASING DONAHUE, "THE BETTER ROUTE LOST."
The Jackson Highway has been officially routed. The purpose of the promoters of this enterprise has been frustrated. An idea and an inspiration have been misappropriated. The tortuous path through the bogs of the Delta has won.

Let it go at that. So far as the advocates of the "Bee Line" are concerned, they have in reality lost nothing. They have saved honor and have several miles of good roads on hand as an asset of a campaign that was hopeless from the first. If not

hopeless from the first, certainly hopeless from one year ago, when the political manipulators opted their slimy hands into the slough and under cover of the inky murkiness snatched a prize to which they were not entitled. This delay, incomprehensible then except as the machination of some masterly intriguer, did the Jackson Highway to death so far as the "Bee Line" route was concerned. It was recognized by the advocates of the All-Alabama route that the only object of this procrastination was to give the dealer time to go behind the barn and stack the cards. He was not sufficiently skillful to stack them in the broad light of day. Enthusiasm was assassinated then. The blow was sure. After that it was the cold metallic process of carrying out the deliberate plan of those who had wound their digits about the delicate throat of the brain-child of noble Alabama women.

When Coach Donahue saw his machine crumble beneath the blows of Vanderbilt's gallant attack on last Saturday he is said to have consoled himself with the remark: "The better team lost." It was not a lack of sportsmanship that prompted the utterance. Donahue really believed that luck had flitted with Auburn's opponents. And when the Daily declares that "the better route lost," it is not because it has any special sore toe to nurse. The facts and figures, incontrovertible, stand out ready and willing to substantiate the charge.

Here are some interesting statistics that no amount of juggling can change:

The proposed route by way of Mississippi embraces 598 miles of road. Of this 239 miles is hard surface; 256 miles is partly improved and 103 miles unimproved. The route from New Orleans to Birmingham embraces 497 miles, of which 296 miles is hard surfaced, 148 miles partly improved and 53 miles unimproved.

The returns were in. They were presented to the Louisville meeting. In addition, there were briefs submitted showing that the white population of the counties through which the Jackson Highway will pass on its slow journey to the Gulf was many times less than the white population of the counties that would have been traversed by the Alabama route. It was shown that the All-Alabama route would have passed through the industrial district of Dixie, giving the northern tourist a correct idea of the versatility of resource of this section. As it is, the weary traveler who is so foolhardy as to follow the sign posts down through Mississippi, will go back to his home in the North convinced that this is a land only of pickaninnies and cotton.

It is done, and this is no time for regrets. It would be some satisfaction to know all the methods used to bring it about.

DEMOCRACY MUST KEEP ABREAST OF SENTIMENT.
Examples are not lacking even in the solid south to prove that the democratic party, if it hopes to continue to merit the confidence of the people, must put up clean men on clean platforms, in state as well as national elections. The Daily pointed out last week after the result of the presidential race became definitely known that the democracy must keep abreast of public sentiment and be progressive as well as honest if it hopes to keep its new converts to the shrine of the party.

The latest example of independent thinking in the south comes from Florida. There Sidney J. Catts, a minister and a former Alabamian, was able to defeat both the democratic and the republican nominees after Catts had been declared defeated in the democratic primary. State-wide prohibition was one of the issues, Mr. Catts favoring this. Other matters, affecting religion that should never have been brought into the election, were also issues.

The example furnished by Tennessee is fresh in the minds of southern democrats. There Gov. Malcolm R. Patterson was accused of operating a pardon brokerage, of being aligned openly with the liquor interests of the state and of various other high political crimes. He was strong among the rank and file of the democracy and he could always win in a democratic primary. Finally democrats by tens of thousands deserted the party and centered on the independent-republican nominee for governor. He was elected despite the big

vote against him in the cities of Tennessee.

The Florida incident is yet to be brought to an end. Whether it worked for the good of the state in the long run, remains to be seen. But the Tennessee incident is closed and we all know the independent movement gave the state a weak governor and four years of strife and turmoil. But it had the effect of soundly spanking the party and it is cleaner and better in Tennessee today than ever before. Democrats finally have centered on a democrat who keeps his campaign pledges and who has cleaned up the state.

The Daily believes in government by parties, but if we maintain the magnificent victory we won under the leadership of Woodrow Wilson in the nation, we must keep before us men of the ideals and foresight of the president.

FRATERNAL HAZING ONLY ONE FORM OF BARBARISM.

In a recent decision handed down by the Alabama supreme court a judgment against an Alabama fraternal organization—the Moose—was affirmed. The judgment was awarded by the trial jury in a suit involving damages for the death of a novice who was being hurried into fraternalism through the hazing route. In order, no doubt, to make the candidate fully realize his vast good luck in being permitted to affiliate with the organization, he was subjected to an electric shock that unfortunately terminated his life. His relatives, however, survived the shock and brought the suit for pecuniary compensation. It is well that they won.

For hazing of any kind there is but little to be said in commendation. It is possible to overlook the escapades of thoughtless prep school boys or equally thoughtless students of higher institutions of learning, for the whole world is inclined to excuse these youngsters upon the grounds of inadequate mental equipment. They are supposed to learn control of their muscles first, and to gather poise and character later in life. But for grown-ups, those who are sufficiently well versed with the seriousness of life, to attempt to amuse themselves at the expense of another, is not far short of rank barbarism. The spirit of the thing is wrong, if there were no possible tragedies in connection. It is not the highest duty of man to have fun at the cost of a fellow being.

Probably most of the jokes that pass current as to the barbarity of initiations into fraternal orders are without foundation. Not being a "diner," we do not know. However, if this practice is at all general it should be discontinued in the name of humanity. The Birmingham object lesson should have a salutary effect.

ELECTION BY POPULAR VOTE WOULD MEAN UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE.

Regardless of the merits or demerits of electing presidents by popular vote, as Senator Chamberlain of Oregon advocates, there is no doubt but that if such a reform should be accomplished it would mean much for the suffragists. With the states where women are enfranchised polling an enormous vote, sister commonwealths would be compelled to grant women the privilege of the ballot in order that they might be on equal numerical footing. Whether or not women vote as their husbands do, or spite the head of the family by voting contrary to his wishes, there are but few states that could sit snugly by and have their total vote swamped by an outpouring of suffragists of other states on election day. With the popular election of the president, universal suffrage would be assured.

There seems to be much doubt as to when our Alabama boys will return from the border. Yesterday Gen.

FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With Theford's Black-Draught.

McDuff, Va.—"I suffered for several years," says Mrs. J. B. Whitaker, of this place, "with sick headache, and stomach trouble."

Ten years ago a friend told me to try Theford's Black-Draught, which I did, and I found it to be the best family medicine for young and old.

I keep Black-Draught on hand all the time now, and when my children feel a little bad, they ask me for a dose, and it does them more good than any medicine they ever tried.

We never have a long spell of sickness in our family, since we commenced using Black-Draught.

Theford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and has been found to regulate weak stomachs, aid digestion, relieve indigestion, colic, wind, nausea, headache, sick stomach, and similar symptoms.

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Funston ordered the election of winter arrangements, indicating that the boys may be kept on the border all winter. However, the hearts of thousands of Alabama mothers may be made glad soon by the order for the boys to return at once.

The Christmas spirit is growing in Decatur and Albany. The shops have begun their displays of Christmas goods and almost every preparation has been made for supplying the holiday trade. Let's all do our Christmas shopping early this year.

The boll weevil cost the south 2,000,000 bales, or about \$200,000,000 during the past year alone. Now the pink boll weevil, the most dangerous cotton weevil, is coming. Diversify and raise cattle. That is the only solution.

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Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers

We have been instructed to push the collection of all delinquent taxes due the City of Albany, and unless these taxes are paid by November 25th, next, the property upon which the taxes have been levied, will be sold and this will subject the property owners to all forfeitures and penalties incident to such sale, and will further bring about divers complications and will ultimately deprive the property owner of his property, unless a redemption is effected, as authorized by statute.

We ask that the various property owners call on Mr. Henry Hartung, the City Clerk, of said city, and pay their delinquent taxes before this date, in order that they may be saved this trouble.

Dated, this the 15th. day of November, 1916:

E. C. PAYNE, Mayor.
TENNIS TIDWELL, City Atty.

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ALBANY, ALABAMA

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25 words, 1 mo..... \$3.00
50 words, 1 time..... 50c
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50 words, 1 week..... 1.75
50 words, 1 mo..... 5.00

A PEANUT FARM—

On the Marbury plateau. Beat the boll weevil. Nuts sold at over \$75 per acre; vines cured and baled for hay; hogs fattened in the field; corn, oats, wheat, crimson and burr clover, velvet beans, potatoes, watermelons, strawberries, fruits and peaches all thrive and produce well. The land is sandy loam, level, and responds to good treatment, and can be bought on long time, at from \$15 to \$20 per acre. Address E. J. Hudnall, box 231, New Decatur, Ala. representing the Marbury Lumber Co., of Marbury, Ala. 18-3t

FOR RENT—One suite of light house-keeping rooms, completely furnished. Phone Albany 182-w, or call at 317 Johnston St. 18-3t

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Morgan Ranks High In Sunday School Work

The steady progress of organized Sunday school work in Alabama is indicated by the remarkable fact that four new counties have reached the "Gold Star" standard during the recent tour of county conventions. The counties attaining this rank on this tour are St. Clair, Pickens, Geneva and Washington.

"Gold Star County" includes five points as follows:

1. Annual county convention.
2. At least one convention in each district every year.
3. Every Sunday school represented in a district convention.
4. Statistical report from every Sunday school.
5. Contribution from every Sunday school.

The Alabama Sunday School Association, according to General Secretary Leon C. Palmer, of Montgomery, has adopted as its aim "Every County a Golden Star County by 1920," and a thorough and systematic campaign to this end has been planned.

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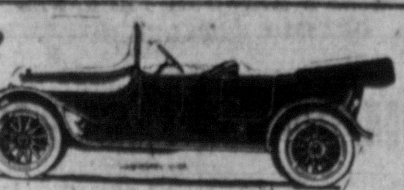
Modern broom cottage, 201 West Third Street.

FOR RENT

4-room cottage with bath, 624 Fourth Avenue, West.
4-room cottage, 1804 Fifth Ave., S.
4-room cottage, 621 Sixth Ave., W.
5-room house, 1206 Third Ave., S.
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New Decatur, Alabama

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The styles, quality and workmanship will make the high prices on merchandise sound paradoxical. Every suit is loaded with style and good taste and the prices are ridiculously low. Without trying to mislead you by quoting fictitious values will simply state that if you need a suit you will find here a treat in store for you.

A NEW LINE OF CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS

Have just come in. Price \$3.50. They look like the \$5.00 and \$6.00 kind found elsewhere.

In spite of the scarcity and high prices on linen handkerchiefs, we have one of the greatest collections that we have had and that is saying a great deal. It is a matter well known that we have always carried one of the choicest lines to be found in this part of the state.

Not one cent advance in price on any of these

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BENEVOLENT.

The Ladies' Benevolent society will receive the annual Thanksgiving donations at the Malone garage, Albany, and at 45 Bank street, Decatur, Tuesday, Nov. 28. Clothing, provisions, coal and money are all needed to take care of the worthy poor at our door. The treasury is empty; winter is here, and someone will suffer unless you do your part. Remember the collection at the union Thanksgiving services. The Ladies' Benevolent society depend on it to buy coal for the winter. Names can be reported to the following committee:

Decatur—Mrs. J. D. Wyker.
Central—Mrs. W. R. Smith.
East—Mrs. Pipkin.
South—Mrs. R. V. Gilliam.
West—Mrs. Jerre Clark.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY, CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH.

Mrs. R. H. Wolcott was hostess on Monday afternoon to the Woman's Missionary society of the Central M. E. church. The attendance was excellent and subject of interest, "Cuba" was the study, with Mrs. Alex Humphrey as leader, assisted by Mesdames B. Preult, J. L. Gunter, Amanda McGartney and Walter Durham. During the social hour the ladies were invited to the dining room, where coffee and wafers were served.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Last evening at her home on Eighth avenue, Miss Gladys Keri celebrated her birth anniversary with a number of her school mates and friends. Music, games and contests featured the evening. In the contest on the draw, Lewis Ling was awarded the prize. Late a dainty salad course was served.

EVENING BRIDGE CLUB.

Last evening Mrs. A. J. Miller was hostess to the Evening Bridge club. Mrs. J. H. Donnell made top score. The guest prize was awarded Miss Williams.

The guests were Mrs. Jno. Lewis, Mrs. A. A. Hardage, Mrs. H. R. Davis, Mrs. W. R. Smith, Miss Mary Williams and H. D. Harkreader. A dainty salad was served.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Oliver and children motored from Guntersville Saturday and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones.

En route from Birmingham to Florida, Mrs. J. C. Moore is visiting Mrs. George Jackson.

Mrs. L. N. Whitman and Miss Ruby Stewart, of Hartselle, are the guests of Miss Elizabeth Burleson.

After a visit to her aunts, Mrs. K. Prewitt and Miss Elizabeth Burleson, Miss Lillie Burleson returned to Hartselle today.

Mrs. J. T. Jones will be hostess to the Ferry Street Rook club Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. Sam Lile, of Virginia, is the guest of Mrs. Eugene Ferris.

Mrs. Harry T. Gill has returned from a visit to relatives at Huntsville.

Mrs. J. C. Hamlett and Mrs. W. H. Johnson left for Huntsville today.

BIRTH.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Guthrie, an 8-pound boy.

Old Papers for Sale at Daily office.

CLUB CALENDAR.

Tuesday.
Progressive Culture—Mrs. Williamson.
Priscilla Club—Miss Louise Collier.
Woman's Literary—Mrs. Humphrey.

Wednesday.
Married Ladies' Bridge—Mrs. John Knight.
Music Study Club—Mrs. H. Troup.
Berean—Mrs. Rogers.
Cotaco Literary—Mrs. Humphrey.

Thursday.
Sunday School Teachers' Training Class—Central M. E. church.

Friday.
Auction Bridge—Mrs. W. R. Smith.
Ferry Street Rook Club (2:30 p. m.)
—Mrs. J. T. Jones.

Saturday.
Silk Stocking Club.

PERSONALS

H. S. Lichtenstein spent Sunday in Birmingham, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. H. M. Goldberg.

W. T. Seamons continues quite ill at his residence on Johnston street.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

Strasburg, O., is pretty much a one-horse town. It only has a population of 1,015. Its trade territory is not very large, for it is bounded on all sides by big cities, including Cincinnati and Cleveland. Compared to most of the little cities in Washington, it is not much of a place. Garver Bros' store, located in Strasburg, in 1915, did a business of \$427,735.97. When Mr. G. A. Garver, the manager, was invited over to Cleveland by the Ad club to tell how he did it, he went. And he told. His story may all be summed up in one statement:

"Last year we spent \$15,360.47, or 3 1/2 percent of our sales, for advertising."
The next time one of your merchants springs a hard luck story on you tell him about Garver Brothers' store. And don't forget to bear down hard on the fact that they spend 3 1/2 per cent of their sales for advertising.—Exchange.

Business or professional cards, printed or engraved. The Daily.



Joseph F. Sheehan coming to Masonic Tuesday, Nov. 28, in "Martha."

LOCAL RECRUITING STATION TO CLOSE

CAPT. PARRISH AND HIS FORCE WILL LEAVE WITHIN NEXT DAY OR TWO.

Official orders discontinuing the local recruiting station of the Alabama National Guard, which opened here some months ago under the command of Capt. James E. Parrish, attached, have been issued from Governor's Island, N. Y., headquarters for the department of the east. Although the orders have not arrived here, Capt. Parrish has been advised by wire to make preparations to close the station, and to report to Ft. Barrancas, Fla., where his accounts will be audited.

It is thought that a similar order will be issued to all other Alabama National Guard recruiting officers, and that the effort to enlist men for border service with the state troops will be discontinued. However, it is not believed in military circles that the troops are to be ordered home at an early date.

Captain Parrish stated today that he would begin preparations at once for closing the station, and that within the next two or three days he would leave for other fields.

"Let me say," he said to a Daily representative, "that in leaving Albany and Decatur it will be with the sincerest reluctance. I have never visited any place where I was treated more royally, nor have found more new and delightful friendships."

Captain Parrish has formed a wide acquaintance while here and has made a host of friends who will learn with regret that he has been transferred to other duty. He is one of the brilliant young attorneys of the state, with offices at Montgomery, and is also prominent in politics. He is one of the democratic electors for Alabama.

Sergt. Hertz, who has also been on duty here, has also won the high regard of many friends.

Defendants Plead Guilty

Several Fines Assessed in Law and Equity Court.

The following defendants appeared in the Morgan county law and equity court yesterday and plead guilty:

E. Mizell, public drunkenness, fined \$5.

F. L. Roberts, public drunkenness, fined \$5.

Drew Terrell, violating prohibition laws, fined \$50 and sentenced to six months; sentence suspended.

W. W. Polk, buying stolen property, fined \$20.

Luther Burgess, public drunkenness, \$5.

Luther Burgess, abusive language, fined \$1.

The case against W. H. Byars for public drunkenness was nolle prossed.

Strangers get your social rating from your calling cards. See the line of engraved cards for men and women at the Daily office. We keep up with the styles.

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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State afore said, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1916.

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Christmas will soon be here and if you are planning to make XMAS GIFTS you want to use care and judgment in selecting, so as not to have your gift look cheap or commonplace, no matter how low the price you pay.

Jewelry the Ideal Christmas Gift

Select your gift from our "Up-To-The-Minute" offerings. Come and look over our Gift Suggestions and you'll soon settle the question of "what shall I Give?"

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